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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

TONY EUGENE SAFFOLD,)
)
Petitioner,)
v.)
)
THOMAS L. CAREY,)
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Respondent.)
_____)

No. CIV S-98-1040 JAM JFM P

**UNOPPOSED REQUEST TO EXTEND
DEADLINE FOR FILING OBJECTIONS TO
FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS
ORDER**

Pursuant to Local Rule 6-142, petitioner, TONY EUGENE SAFFOLD, by and through his counsel, Assistant Federal Defender David M. Porter, hereby requests a thirty-day extension of time to file objections, which are currently due on May 5, 2008. The extension is being requested to enable the undersigned to consult with Mr. Saffold and because of the undersigned's duties in other cases.

The undersigned has contacted counsel for respondent, Deputy Attorney General Brian G. Smiley, and he graciously indicated that he has no objection to the proposed extension. This is petitioner's first request for an extension, and it is not being interposed to cause undue delay, to gain unfair advantage, or for any other improper purpose.

1 Mr. Saffold personally joins in this request.

2 Accordingly, for the reasons set forth above, Mr. Saffold requests
3 the Court set June 4, 2008 as the deadline for filing a objections to
4 the findings and recommendations.

5 Dated: April 24, 2008

6 Respectfully submitted,

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For the reasons set forth in the unopposed application, and good cause appearing therefor, it is hereby ORDERED that objections to the findings and recommendations may be filed on or before June 4, 2008.

Dated: May 28, 2008.


UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE